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MEMORANDAM FOR: Daputy Chief, Development Branch, DPD

SUMJECT

: Project OXCART

(Materiel Support Mechanism)

- 1. In a recent conversation with numbers of Contracts Branch, it was suggested there is need to brief Mr. Frank Vec, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Supply and Logistics, on the OXCART Program. This would be based on the Material priority problem presently being experienced by Pratt & Whitney at West Palm Beach.
- 2. I feel this form of justification clearly demonstrates a greater need to review the OXCART/Materiel support plan, including perhaps definition of a treaty between the Agency and the Air Force, but certainly covering a supply precedence rating for OXCART. As you are sware, this subject is of common to my staff, Materiel Branch, Contracts Branch, AFCIG-5, in addition to yourself.

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